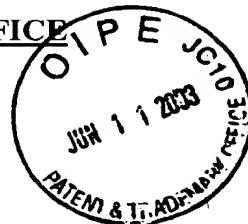


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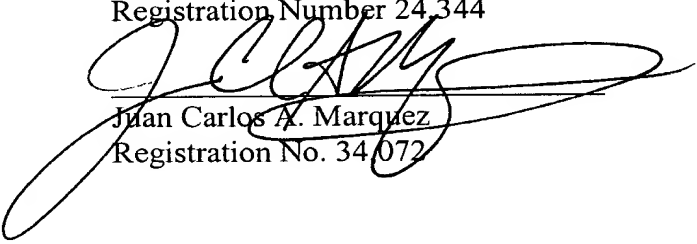
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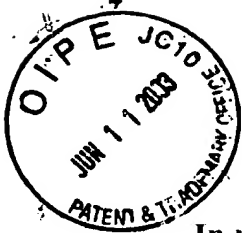
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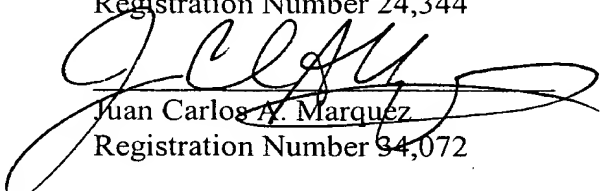
Sir:

In response to the requirements set forth in the Office Action mailed on February 12, 2003, Applicants are submitting drawings for Fig. 4, in which "M" is being added to the end of a reference "Alternation Signal," in connection with the above-captioned application.

Kindly direct any inquiries in connection with this matter to the undersigned at the below-listed address and telephone number.

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